

## Keeping Baby Out of Doors

Plenty of air and sunshine are essential to your baby's growth and healthy development. In order that he may get the full benefit of his hours out of doors, you should buy him a Whitney Sleep-er like the one shown above.

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We are showing some very attractive new models in our spring stock and would like to give you a "demonstration."

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## TALK OF THE TOWN

Buy victrolas at Bailey's Music Rooms, 14 Elm street.

Big shipment leather heel red sole rubbers arrived at Shea's.

Ernest Letourneau has gone to Montreal, P. Q., where he is passing several days with relatives.

George W. Mann of Wellington street left last night for Boston, where he is attending the auto show.

The senior sodality will hold their regular meeting in the church vestry Thursday night at 7 o'clock.

A. Marcella of Smith place was removed to the city hospital last night to receive treatment for pneumonia.

Guy Vitagliano left this morning for Burlington, where he will pass the remainder of the week on business.

Miss Ethel Morgan of Ayers street commenced her duties in the Dr. Jarvis office in the Howland block this week.

Arthur G. Miles of South Main street, who recently completed his duties in the Myers barber shop after being employed there for many years, opened his tonsorial parlors at 59 South Main street in what was formerly known as the Southern hotel, this forenoon.

All people in Barre who can sing are cordially invited to be at the Congregational church to-night at 7 o'clock to get placed in the large chorus choir under the leadership of Otto Hatch. It is necessary to practice a few songs before the evangelistic services begin at 7:30.

At the Murphy and Weaver bowling alleys on Pearl street last evening the Daley bowling team from Montpelier met defeat at the hands of a team of Barre bowlers, by 33 pins. The results of the three-string bowling of both teams was as follows: Barre 403-450-422 for a total of 1275. Montpelier 308-428-402 for a total of 1138 pins.

Credit should have been given Mrs. D. W. McDonald for a contribution of \$5 to the treasurer of the Barre branch of the Red Cross, instead of Mrs. Donald Smith, as announced in yesterday's Times. The contribution of Mrs. Virgil Ayers was also increased by \$1, making it \$12. Mrs. H. W. Clark donated the sofa, pillow instead of Mrs. Harry S. Parks.

By deferring to the wishes of the Goose Green committee, the Barre Woman's club transferred its regular monthly meeting yesterday afternoon from the Howland building to the Vincitia club, where routine business was transacted. The hall was given over to the property men from the Green and over night the interior was considerably transformed by their operations.

The series of Monday evening readings in the chapel at Spaulding high school, which found favor with many lovers of literature a year ago, have been resumed.

The first reading with the approach of warmer weather was given Monday evening, and others are to follow weekly. A desire to conserve fuel at the school prompted the faculty to dispense with the readings during the winter, thereby obviating the necessity of heating the chapel.

An enlarged photograph of two Italian soldiers reading a letter from home in the trenches somewhere on the Italian front is attracting a good deal of attention in the display window at B. W. Hooker & Co.'s store. The soldiers represented in the picture are brothers of E. Marchesi of Barre, and it so happens that the letter they are perusing so eagerly is a letter from the local man. The original, a small photograph, was received by Mr. Marchesi not long ago. It was a camera picture, but the enlargement by R. Cantu, has brought out clearly the trench work which forms a background for the two figures.

The following program has been arranged for the senior girls' minstrel show to be given Friday evening at the Spaulding assembly hall, the proceeds of which are to be devoted to the Y. M. C. A. work: Opening, "Mammy's Little Black Rose," chorus; "Carry Me Back to Ole Virginia," Kathleen Fitzgerald; "Kingdom Come," Katherine Rogers; "Humming Bird and the Bee," Margaret Woodruff; "Send Me Away with a Smile," chorus; "Miss Minabelle," Alice Murray; dance, Margaret Murray and Eda Perry; "Missouri Waltz," chorus; "Can't You Hear Me Calling," Caroline; and Vivien Marston; "Somewhere in France," chorus; "For You a Rose," Marion Tilden; finale.

One of the rarest bovine freaks that ever found its way into the Burlington Rendering Co.'s Seminary street sub-station is a fully formed male calf which was born this week on the farm of Otto Fryeberg of east hill. Mr. Fryeberg, after vainly trying to keep the little wonder breathing, brought it to the rendering plant yesterday and turned them over to W. H. Mahoney. The calf has two heads, each similarly marked, and a perfect body. It lived but a short time after birth, although Mr. Fryeberg believes that the ministrations of a veterinarian, had he been able to summon him in time, would have saved the bovine life. The animal is a finely marked Holstein, and aside from the dual forepiece, the only peculiarity is a single ear on the outside of each head, while the two combine on one ear between the two heads.

On the second floor of the Howland building, in the office suite formerly occupied by Atty. E. L. Scott, who has moved to the Keith avenue annex, the New England Telephone company has installed a new storage battery plant, the work having been brought to a state of practical completion without affecting the company's telephone service in the Barre exchange. The storage battery plant which the new one supplants was installed on the top floor in April, 1910, and was rapidly becoming obsolete. Its removal to the floor below is made necessary by the growing demand for space in the third story, where partitions formerly inclosing the batteries are to be removed and machinery installed. Day and night the work of getting the new battery service under way has been going on under the direction of C. J. Carlson of the district office in Rutland. Just now the new batteries are undergoing what is termed the initial charge, and a low cloud of sulphuric acid vapor makes frequent inspection of the battery room something to be avoided.

More money is needed for camp libraries and for our men "over there," and an intensive book campaign, to be conducted March 18-25, is to enlist the aid of Barre and Barre Town people, with the Aldrich public library as the local campaign headquarters. Through the library war service of the American Library association, 37 free circulating libraries have been provided for the training camps, and the library service is being extended through the Y. M. C. A., the K. of C., and the Y. W. C. A. buildings, and through chaplains to smaller camps, posts, forests, naval stations and vessels; and through all these agencies to our soldiers and sailors overseas. Just now the imperative need is for more books. Although several hundred thousand have been supplied, 2,000,000 more should be added. There are millions of unused books in American homes, not cheap, yellow, unattractive, out-of-date books, but nice, clean copies of good editions. And the service of the better that can be obtained the better service the soldiers can be given. All books may be left at the Aldrich public library.

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## Latest Tailored Models With Unusual Appeal



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You know the result—it is harder this season than ever to dress as fashion says and yet express your individuality.

Now the Woolltex and Printz-Beiderman tailors have avoided everything that is commonplace—their genius has created dozens of distinctive, slender models, each different in detail and different in the way the figure is revealed.

### Our Usual Showing of Dress Goods

We are now ready to show you one of the largest and best lines of Wash Goods we have ever had so early in the season. One reason for this is that we bought early so as to be able to protect the trade on prices.

The new Cotton Satines are one of the season's popular cloths. These are a medium-weight cloth for Spring and early Summer wear. These have a silk finish, are good width and sell at 39c per yard.

Our line of Plain, Colored Voiles is more popular than ever. The colors are good and they are of a weight and finish that will make up as good looking as silk. These are 40 inches wide and the price only 29c per yard.

### Early Showing of Coats

Our unusually large showing of the new Spring Coat models is very attractive. Note the skillful combining of lines and details to bring out the slenderness of figure.

The many new and original effects which are added to give the straight, slender lines, the many different panel back effects are very attractive. Nearly everything has an attractive belt effect of some sort.

These Coat models you will find are made up from an all-wool cloth of the season's popular materials. Serges will be more popular than ever.

This line of Coats you will find in the season's popular prices, and you will be surprised to know how little they are advanced in price over last season.

We have an unusually large display of the new and popular Foulards. These we are showing in the all cottons and the half cotton and half silk. This is a cloth that will be more popular than ever because of its style and wearing qualities.

See the display in our north show window of the Nu Vogue Plaids. This is a heavy Cotton Serge that comes in the popular season plaids. They are a cloth that has the appearance of an all-wool material, and will wear very nicely.

Here you will find an unusually large line of Satin Striped Voiles. These make up unusually attractive, and have a weight and finish that pleases all who want a good afternoon or party dress.

### FULL LINE OF WASH SILKS

Our line of Tub Silks has attracted lots of attention in the last week. This is a line of Silks that will wash like a cotton and is unusually good for men's shirts. They are in good stripes. You will want some of these Silks for a good tub silk waist.

See our line of Gingham in our Bargain Basement. We are showing an unusually large line in the best qualities. We can show you a large line of colors.



### The New Tailored Suits

Never was there a season when a lady needs to take so much care in selecting her Spring Suit. Of course the style will play an important part, but unless the garment is stayed properly it will not hold its shape.

Many manufacturers have been getting by without the proper stay and finish because they could not get the cloths that would stand up under hard strain.

This season we must rely on our manufacturers more than ever. We must buy of only those houses which we can depend upon to give us goods just as they are represented.

We have been more than particular this season in selecting our season's models, and we can show you a line of Suits that is equal in style and finish to any we have ever shown, and the materials are strictly all wool. See this line of Spring models.

We now have a good showing of the new Spring Millinery. This will surely be a popular season for ready made millinery. They are priced low and the style and quality is excellent. See our showing of misses' and young ladies' hats.

## The Daylight Store

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Stout ladies' spring coats and suits. Sadlier's, Keith avenue.

Our pianos are all guaranteed and are very reasonable in price. Bailey's Music Rooms.

Charles Zanleoni, Jr., stated to-day that his application for the flying corps of the army aviation department had been received favorably at Washington, D. C., and that his move for a commission in the flying section had been referred to the examining board.

### Former Barre People Robbed.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Allen of Franklin street have received a letter from their daughter, Mrs. A. I. Whitehead of Los Angeles, which gives particulars of a burglary in which they were involved. Living in an apartment house, Mr. and Mrs. Whitehead returned one evening to find their door locked from the inside and they were obliged to break in the door before they could enter the room. Everywhere was confusion, as the whole apartment had been ransacked, even to a medicine cabinet, and the burglar seemed to be willing to take anything and everything he could lay his hands on, as jewelry of various kinds, a silver bag, clothing and even writing paper and correspondence cards were stolen. In summing up the loss, Mrs. Whitehead estimated that no less than \$200 worth of goods were taken from their apartment alone.

From the whole apartment house, \$2,000 worth of articles were stolen, one family losing practically everything of value which they had that was removable.

### WILLIAMSTOWN

The selectmen will meet in the office of the town clerk next Friday at 9 o'clock a. m. to organize and pay bills and do any other business that may come before them.

### Help Russia.

Russia has still to ratify the treaty of peace extorted from the Bolsheviks. A great council of workmen's, peasants' and Cossacks' deputies is to meet at Moscow a week from to-day and the fate of Russia may depend upon its action. German intrigue will be busy: the allies on their side should not lose a moment in doing all in their power to encourage Russia to hold out.

Nothing could be deadlier at this juncture than for Russia to be obliged to face a new menace in the far East. According to word received from an American engineer in Siberia, the Russians are already blowing up railroad bridges and mining buildings between the Pacific and Irkutsk on Lake Baikal, in order to check or delay a Japanese invasion. If the delegates who assemble at Moscow next week are thinking of new perils, they can hardly be expected to do otherwise than decide for accepting the German terms, crushing as they are. Japan has more than once given assurance of its deep desire to help the allies in every practicable way; the best help it can give now is to join the allies in reassuring dismayed and demoralized Russia.

Poor as communications are, they will serve for sending to Moscow the necessary words: If the allies can but agree upon what to say. There are in Russia spokesmen for the entente who can expand and press home the message if it is once delivered. Hitherto for reasons unnecessary to set forth, revolutionary Russia has been deeply suspicious of the allies, and perhaps not all has been done that might have been done to dispel these suspicions. There is still a week's grace; if in that time the allies can make their position so clear that when the assembly meets it can know where they stand it will be the best possible encouragement to the desperate course of refusing Germany's outrageous terms. Not only should Russia be made to understand that the allies have no designs akin to those of the enemy, but that they are resolved to see Russia's wrongs set right in the final peace treaty. Russia is unconquerable by the limited forces which Germany can spare from the western front, but without the aid of powerful allies it might never be able to break through the scientific frontier behind which German strategists would pen it. Greatly as it has suffered in the war, now is the time for it to hold on heroically till the grip of the enemy breaks as without Russia's resources to draw upon it must break.

If the allies have seemed to Russia to be readier with threats than with help, much may be excused on the ground of the grievous disappointment caused by Russia's collapse. But excuses do not alter consequences, and Russia may best be encouraged to hold out not by menace of further dismemberment, but by making it clear that the allies will do their utmost to restore to Russia what has been seized by force.—Springfield Republican.

## When a Good Truss Fitts Well and True

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White Flower Red Raspberries, per can.....	15c
Manhattan Club Orange Marmalade.....	20c
Manhattan Club Quince, Raspberry and Strawberry Jam.....	20c
Robertson & Sons' Strawberry Jam in jars.....	25c
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